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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(Case No. 01-104-B)**

In the Application of:	)	
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Marks, et al.	)	Before the Examiner:
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Serial No. 10/074,754	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 1614
Filed: February 13, 2002	)	
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For: Methods and Reagents for Discovering and Using	)	Confirmation No.: 1079
Mammalian Melanocortin Receptor Antagonists	)	
to Treat Cachexia	)	

**VERIFIED STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

I, KEVIN E. NOONAN, do declare and state as follows:

1. I have had prepared a Sequence Listing in paper and computer-readable forms in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821–1.825 in connection with the above-captioned patent application.
2. I hereby state that, to the best of my knowledge, the contents of the paper and computer-readable copies of the Sequence Listing are the same.
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Respectfully submitted,  
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